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Weekly Report for the Week of: February 8, 2016

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Absent Chergo

Remedial Sites

Date	Site/Program	Issue/Action
2/9	California Gulch	Proposed deletion of OU1 & OU3 and will published in Federal Register – Wardell
2/9	Libby Asbestos	ROD rollout and notifications to elected officials and key stakeholders, finalize press release, fact sheet, talking points commstrat and place public notice, etc. – Lane
2/10		Conference call with Libby stakeholders in Missoula on ICs and “last call” plan – Lane
2/11		Attend RPM meeting – Lane
unspecified	Lincoln Park	Work on website update and support TASC efforts on site newsletter – Guerra
2/10	Lowry Landfill	Attend CLLEAN TAG meeting – Jenkins
unspecified	700 South	Work on website updates – Guerra
unspecified	Standard Mine	Work on commstrat – Jenkins
unspecified	Fed. Facilities Unit C	Meet with the RPMs to learn more about the sites – Guerra

Non-NPL Sites

Date	Site/Program	Issue/Action
2/8-12	Gold King Mine/Upper Animas Mining District/Nelson Tunnel	Attend several meetings on these sites and work on sites all week – Peterson

Projected Public Meetings and/or Media Interest/Interviews

Date	Site/Program	Description

Other Activities

Date	Activity	Description
2/8 2/9 2/10 2/11	Public Affairs Manager	OCPI-IO meeting, special accounts meeting, and RLT Attend TAG meeting and attend SF branch DD meeting Attend media training planning call PAI staff meeting and outreach meeting Resource meeting, SF budget meeting, OCPI-ARA/DRA meeting, Enforcement outreach training call CFAC meeting
2/9 2/10 unspecified	TAGs & TASC	Review Libby TAG reimbursements and meet with Jasmin for clarifications – Ashenafi, Guerra Attend TAG meeting – Faulk Attend Silverton TASC meeting and CLLEAN TAG meeting – Faulk Review CLLEAN TAG reports and reimbursements and meet with Les and Melissa on next steps – Ashenafi TASC contract discussion re: Gold King Mine – Ashenafi Follow-up with South Weber Coalition TAG grant extension – Ashenafi
2/8	Sustainable Communities	Attend monthly meeting – Wardell
2/11 unspecified	Emergency Response	Touch base with EPR-ER Joyel and Mary on Park City removal – Jenkins Assist with OSC.net updates on removal of Park City and Bullion Canyon to reflect streamlined information – Jenkins Attend EPR management briefing on proposed assessment – Jenkins
2/11	NOWCC/SEE	Attend program appreciation ceremony and lunch – Cooper, Thames, Faulk
???	Superfund	Participate in the EPA/CDPHE quarterly meeting – Faulk, Peterson

Training:

2/9 *Hazwoper refresher course* – Faulk, Lane

2/10 *SEMs Security 2016 training and Annual Safety & Health Management System Training* Thames

2/11 *Acrobat DC – Digital and Signature Workflows for Agencies* – Cooper

Travel:

N/A

Telecommuting:

2/8 – Guerra

2/10 – Chergo, Lane

2/12 – Faulk

Out of Office:

2/8 out – Chergo, Thames

2/8 until 11:00 a.m. – Wardell

2/10 after 3:30 p.m. – Lane

2/11 a.m. Faulk

2/12 Friday off – Lane, Thames